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Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously presented) A method for synchronizing a client having a client database with

a server having a server database, the method comprising:

calculating at the server, for a plurality of times and a plurality of clients, a document

score for each document in a plurality of documents in the server database, each document score

designating an importance relative to other documents of a respective one of the documents to a respective one of the clients at one of the times, each document score indicative of whether the

document should be synchronized between the respective client and the server database;

initiating a synchronization task at one of the clients, the synchronization task for

updating documents in the client database to match documents in the server database, the

synchronization task specifying a threshold value that indicates the document score value for a

document to be synchronized, and identifying the server and the server database for

synchronization;

sending from the identified server and server database to the client a list of server

documents produced based upon a comparison of the threshold value to the document scores:

and

sending from the client to the identified server a fetch list based upon the list of server

documents:

transmitting one of the documents in the server database to the client based on the fetch

list.

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2. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein the the step of sending comprises

sending from the server to the client a list of server documents produced based upon a

comparison of the threshold value to the document scores, wherein the list of server documents

includes documents whose scores exceed the threshold value.

3. (Original) The method of claim 2 further comprising determining the threshold value

based on a data storage capacity of the client.

4. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein the calculating a document score

for one of the documents is determined from at least one of a time of creation of the document, a

number of times the document has been read, a time of last access of the document and an author

of the document.

5. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein the calculating a document score

is determined from a relationship between the respective document and another of the documents

in the server database.

(Cancelled)

(Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

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determining if the client database includes a newly created document; and

transmitting the newly created document to the server.

8. (Original) The method of claim 7 further comprising assigning a document score having

a maximum value to the newly created document.

(Original) The method of claim 1 further comprising:

determining if the client database includes a modified document; and

transmitting the modified document to the server.

10. (Original) The method of claim 9 further comprising assigning a document score having

a maximum value to the modified document.

11. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the client database includes a plurality of

client documents, the method further comprising designating for deletion one of the client

documents based on a document score of a complementary document in the server database.

12. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein the client database includes a plurality of

client documents, the method further comprising removing one of the client documents from the

client database based on a document score of a complementary document in the server database.

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13 (Original) The method of claim 9 further comprising resolving a conflict between the

modified document in the client database and a modified document in the server database.

14 (Original) The method of claim 11 further comprising removing the designation for

deletion based on a document score of the complementary document in the server database.

15. (Original) The method of claim 11 further comprising increasing a data storage capacity

of the client by deleting the one of the client documents designated for deletion.

16. (Previously presented) A computer program product for use with a computer system

having a server with a server database, the server database storing a plurality of documents

accessible to a client, the computer program product comprising a non-transitory computer

useable medium having embodied therein program code comprising:

program code for calculating at the server, for a plurality of times and a plurality of

clients, a document score for each of the documents, each document score designating an

importance relative to other documents of a respective one of the documents to a respective one

of the clients at one of the times, each document score indicative of whether the document

should be synchronized between the respective client and the server database;

program code for initiating a synchronization task at one of the clients, the

synchronization task for updating documents in the client database to match documents in the

server database, the synchronization task specifying a threshold value that indicates the

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document score value for a document to be synchronized, and identifying the server and the

server database for synchronization;

program code for sending from the identified server and server database to the client a list

of server documents produced based upon a comparison of the threshold value to the document

scores; and

program code for sending from the client to the identified server a fetch list based upon

the list of server documents; and

program code for transmitting one of the documents in the server database to the client

based on the fetch list.

17. (Cancelled)

18. (currently amended) The computer program product of claim 17 16 wherein the

determination of the threshold value is based on a data storage capacity of the client.

19. (Previously presented) The computer program product of claim 16 wherein the

calculating a document score for one of the documents is determined from at least one of a time

of creation of the document, a number of times the document has been read, a time of last access

of the document and an author of the document.

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20. (Previously presented) The computer program product of claim 16 wherein the calculating a document score is determined from a relationship between the respective document and another of the documents in the server database.

- 21. (Canceled)
- 22. (Canceled)
- 23. (Canceled)
- 24. (Canceled)
- 25. (Canceled)
- 26. (Canceled)
- 27. (Canceled)